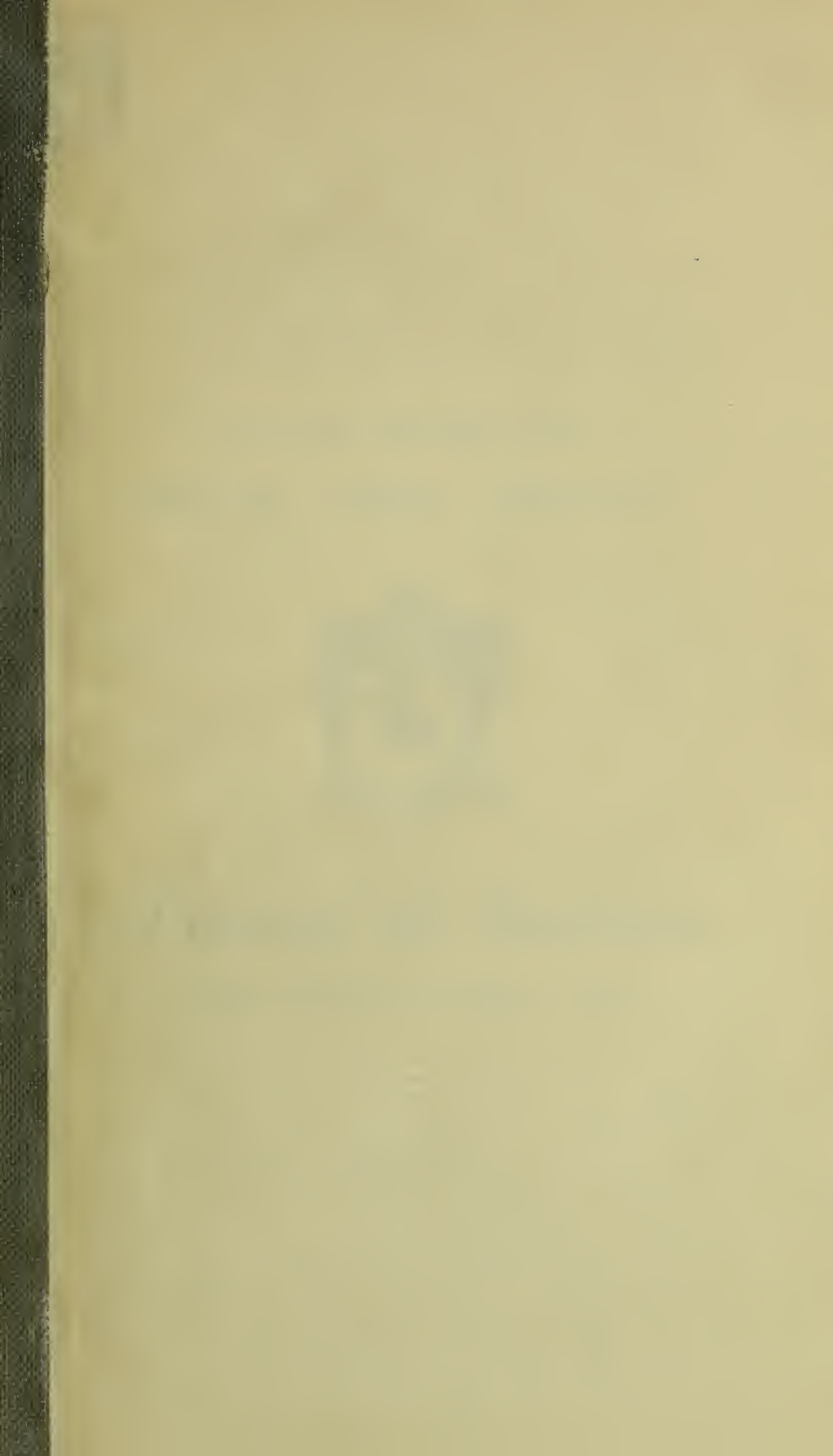
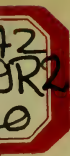


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ASHTON-UNDER-LYNE
PUBLIC FREE LIBRARY.



Abstract of Statistics

YEAR ENDING 17TH MARCH, 1920.

GENERAL STATISTICS.

- (1) Population as at last census (Library area)..... 64973.
- (2) Amount of rate in the pound: Ashton-under-Lyne, 2d.;
Other Districts, $\frac{1}{2}$ d.
- (3) Total cost of Library per inhabitant (Ashton only), 9·6d.

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE.

INCOME.	£	s.	d.	Per cent of total income
(1) From Rate	1550	11	0	... 87·2
(2) From Library Receipts (Fines, &c.).....	89	6	2	... 5·0
(3) From other sources (Subscriptions).....	138	0	0	... 7·8
(4) Total Income	1777	17	2	

EXPENDITURE.	£	s.	d.	Per cent of total expenditure
LIBRARY SERVICE EXPENDITURE.				
(1) Books, Binding, &c.....	102	11	7	... 5·0
(2) Newspapers and Periodicals	121	4	9	... 6·0
(3) Printing, Stationery, Postages, Telephone, Office Requisites, &c. ...	59	11	10	... 2·9
(4) Salaries	788	19	3	... 38·8
(5) Total Library Service expenditure.....	1072	7	5	

FABRIC CHARGES.

(6) Rents and Loans	504	5	11	... 24·8
(7) Rates and Taxes	63	8	0	... 3·1
(8) Property Alterations and Repairs ...	36	11	5	... 1·8
(9) Heating, Lighting and Cleaning.....	294	7	10	... 14·5
(10) Total Fabric Charges	898	13	2	
(11) Excess of Expenditure, 25/3/20.....	63	3	3	... 3·1
(12) Total Expenditure (Items 5, 10 and 11)	2034	3	10	

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STOCKS.

Lending Reference

(1) No. of Vols. at beginning of year	16,674	5,296
(2) Vols. withdrawn during the year	2	0
(3) Additions during the year	180	29
(4) Total Vols. at end of year	16,852	5,325
(5) Volumes per head of population	1 per 3·8	1 per 12·2

ISSUES.	Total.		Daily Average.	
	1919-20	1918-19	1919-20	1918-19

(1) Lending Library Issues	72,202	76,349	298	319
(2) Reference Library Issues.....	15,536	16,562	64	69
(3) Issues from Lending Library per head of population (Library area)...				1·1

BORROWERS.

(1) Number of Actual Borrowers and percentage of Borrowers to population (Library area)	4,084	6·2
(2) Number of Supplementary Readers' Tickets...	405	
(3) Total Borrowers' Tickets in use.....	4,489	

Please note "Library Area" comprises Ashton, Audenshaw,
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Abstract of Statistics

Year ending 25th March, 1921.

GENERAL STATISTICS.

- (1) Population as at last census (Library area)..... 64973.
 (2) Amount of rate in the £: Ashton-under-Lyne, 3d.;
 Other Districts, ½d.
 (3) Total cost of Library per inhabitant (Ashton only), 1s. 2d.

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE.

INCOME.	£	s.	d.	Per cent of total income
(4) From Rate	2641	11	4	... 91·7
(5) From Library Receipts (Fines, &c.) ...	96	18	9	... 3·3
(6) From other sources (Subscriptions) ...	140	7	6	... 5·0
(7) Total Income	2878	17	7	
(8) Excess of Expenditure, 25th March, 1921	79	4	0	

EXPENDITURE.				Per cent of total expenditure	
LIBRARY SERVICE EXPENDITURE.				£	s. d.
(9) Books, Binding, &c.	306	19	3	...	10·4
(10) Newspapers and Periodicals	134	0	8	...	4·5
(11) Printing, Stationery, Postages, Telephone, Office Requisites, &c. ...	70	9	9	...	2·4
(12) Salaries	1003	11	4	...	34·0
(13) Total Library Service Expenditure ...	1515	1	0		

FABRIC CHARGES.

(14) Rents and Loans	524	16	5	...	17·7
(15) Rates and Taxes	69	0	0	...	2·3
(16) Property Alterations and Repairs and Insurance of Building	223	15	8	...	7·5
(17) Heating, Lighting and Cleaning	369	1	10	...	12·5
(18) Total Fabric Charges	1186	13	11		
(19) Excess of Expenditure, 25th March, 1920	256	6	8	...	8·7
(20) Total Expenditure (Items 13, 18 & 19)	2958	1	7		

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STOCKS.

	Lending	Reference
(21) No. of Vols. at beginning of year	16,852	5,325
(22) Vols. withdrawn during the year	22	0
(23) Additions during the year	378	103
(24) Total Vols. at end of year	17,208	5,428
(25) Volumes per head of population	1 per 3.1	1 per 11.9

ISSUES.

	Total.		Daily Average.	
	1920-21	1919-20	1920-21	1919-20
(26) Lending Library Issues	71,183	72,202	297	298
(27) Reference Library Issues.....	15,387	15,536	64	64
(28) Issues from Lending Library per head of population (Library area)...				1.1

BORROWERS.

(29) Number of Actual Borrowers and percentage of Borrowers to population (Library area)	4,399	6.7
(30) Number of Supplementary Readers' Tickets...	403	
(31) Total Borrowers' Tickets in use.....	4,802	

Please note "Library Area" comprises Ashton, Audenshaw, Hurst and Waterloo.

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Abstract of Statistics

Year ending 17th March, 1922.

GENERAL STATISTICS.

- (1) Approximate population (Library area) 64000.
- (2) Amount of Rate in the £: Ashton-under-Lyne, 3d.;
Other Districts, 1d.
- (3) Total cost of Library per inhabitant (Ashton only), 11½d.

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE.

INCOME.	£	s.	d.	Per cent of total income
(4) From Rate	2535	4	4	... 87·6
(5) From Library Receipts (Fines, &c.) ...	125	19	5	... 4·4
(6) From other sources (Subscriptions) ...	230	17	6	... 8·0
(7) Total Income	2892	1	3	

EXPENDITURE.	£	s.	d.	Per cent of total expenditure
LIBRARY SERVICE EXPENDITURE.				
(8) Books, Binding, &c.	277	18	1	... 10·3
(9) Newspapers and Periodicals	151	1	9	... 5·6
(10) Printing, Stationery, Postages, Telephone, Office Requisites, &c. ...	79	15	11	... 2·9
(11) Salaries	998	3	7	... 37·0
(12) Total Library Service Expenditure ...	1506	19	4	

FABRIC CHARGES.				
(13) Rents and Loans	515	1	9	... 19·2
(14) Rates and Taxes	79	12	0	... 2·9
(15) Property Alterations and Repairs and Insurance of Building	128	10	0	... 4·8
(16) Heating, Lighting and Cleaning	384	16	10	... 14·4
(17) Total Fabric Charges	1108	0	7	
(18) Excess of Expenditure, 31st March, 1921	79	4	0	... 2·9
(19) Total Expenditure (Items 12, 17 & 18)	2694	3	11	

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STOCKS.

	Lending	Reference
(20) No. of Vols. at beginning of year	17,211	5,428
(21) Vols. withdrawn during the year	4	0
(22) Additions during the year	415	135
(23) Total Vols. at end of year	17,622	5,563
(24) Volumes per head of population (Library area)	1 per 3.6	1 per 11.5

ISSUES.

	Total 1921-22	1920-21	Daily Average 1921-22	1920-21
(25) Lending Library Issues ...	85,995	71,183	352	297
(26) Reference Library Issues ...	15,455	15,387	63	64
(27) Issues from Lending Library per head of population (Library area)...			1.3	

BORROWERS.

(28) Number of Actual Borrowers and percentage of 'Borrowers to population (Library area)	4,468	7.0
(29) Number of Supplementary Readers' Tickets...	422	
(30) Total Borrowers' Tickets in use.....	4,890	

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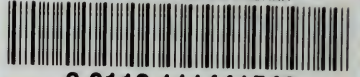


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